## **IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Page 1 replace the first paragraph by the following:

The instant application is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application Serial No. 08/768,167 entitled "Method for Preparing Fly Ash for High Compressive Strength Concrete and Mortar, and Compositions thereof", which was filed December 13, 1996 and is hereby incorporated by reference herein in its entirety, which claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of provisional patent Application No. 60/008,690, filed December [12] 15 1995, which is also hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.

At page 46 following Table 6 insert the following paragraph:

In Table 6 above and in Tables 7 through 13 infra, flow rate was 15 ml/sec; Ultrasonic Power was 40 watts, and ultrasonic time was 100 seconds.